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Winter Wheat Forecast

Oregon

As of June 1, winter wheat production in Oregon is forecast at 51.5 million bushels, up 23 percent from last year. Acreage to be harvested for grain is expected to be 830,000 acres, up 11 percent from 2009. Average yield is forecasted at 62.0 bushels per acre, up 3 bushels from the May 1 yield forecast and up 6 bushels from the previous year.

Pacific Northwest

Pacific Northwest (Idaho, Oregon, and Washington) winter wheat production is expected to total 220.4 million bushels, up 13 percent from last year. Acreage harvested for grain is forecast at 3.28 million acres, up 190,000 acres from 2009.

United States

Nationally, winter wheat production is forecast at 1.48 billion bushels, down 3 percent from 2009. Area harvested for grain totals 31.8 million acres, down 8 percent from last year. Based on June 1 conditions, the U.S. yield is forecast at 46.6 bushels per acre, up slightly from the May 1 forecast and up 2.4 bushels from the previous year.

**Winter wheat: Acres harvested, yield and production for the Pacific Northwest ¹
and United States, 2009 and forecasted June 1, 2010**

State/area	Area harvested			Yield			Production		
	2009	Forecast 2010	2010/2009	2009	2010 Forecast		2009	Forecast 2010	2010/2009
					May 1	June 1			
	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>Percent</i>
Oregon	750	830	111	56	59	62	42,000	51,460	123
Idaho	700	740	106	81	85	85	56,700	62,900	111
Washington	1,640	1,710	104	59	61	62	96,760	106,020	110
Pacific Northwest	3,090	3,280	106	63	66	67	195,460	220,380	113
United States	34,485	31,786	92	44.2	45.9	46.6	1,522,718	1,482,364	97

¹ Includes Oregon, Idaho, and Washington.

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